The Danish steamer Fyen reports had fine moss Channel. The British steamer Danube reports had frosh

winds to port. The British steamer Hongkong reports left Shanghai on the 27th last, had light variable winds to Lummocks - thence to port had strong

W stelly breeze and hezy weather, The British steamer agamemnen reports left Singapore at 5 p.m. of 25th, had fresh 3.W. and Northerly winds with strong squally, heavy

thence to port light Northerly winds and fine weather throughout, ? The British steamer Date reports from Suigon to Paracels had light S. W. monsoon, Paracels

to Grand Ladrons had moderate Northerly wind with heavy swell from Eastward, thence to port S.W. wind and fine weather. On the 27th, spoke two Siamese barks, bound South showing, no

weather down the Red Sen. Passed Cape Guards. July, 1882, are hereby required to surrender fui on 10th, at noon, had strong monsoon with theuselyes to EDWARD JAMES ACEROYD, very heavy confused sea, shipping a good deal of Esquire, the Registrar of the said Court, at the water ; passed Galle at 5.30 p.m. of 17th, had FIRST MEETING or CREDITORS to be moderate S.W. winds and fine weather until held by the said Registrar on THURSDAY, arrival at Singapore, 9.35 p.m., of the 23rd. Left the 3rd day of August, 1883, at ELEVEN on the 25th at 4 p.m., had variable winds and O'CLOCK in the forencon, precisely, at his squally weather to 27th, then steady monsoon Chambers, Supreme Court. and fine weather; latterly squally weather The said EDWARD JAMES ACKROYD, Esquire, and quateady winds. Agrived in harbour on 31st, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. Dennys & at 11.50 a.m.

> AMOY SHIPPING. ARRIVALS.

19, Feihoo, Castoms str., from Foochow. 20, Kwangtung, British str., from Hongkong 20. Seewe, British str., from Swatow. 20. Thales, British str., from Foochow. 20, Slam, Simmese bark, from Bangkok. 21. Cheang Hock Kian, Br. str. from H kong. 21. Wm. Mackingon, Dut. str., from H'kong. 21, Emny, Spanish str., from Manils. 22, Hailcong, British str., from Tameni. 22, Chin Wei, Chinese g. bt., from Foodhow. 22, Venice, British str., from Shangbal, 22, Foxhound, British g.bt., from Nagasaki. DEPARTURES. . Chloris, German bark, for Newchwang

19, Hwai-yuen, Chinese str., for Shanghai 19, Albay, British str., for Taiwanfoo. 20, Seewo, British str., for Shanghai. 20, Kwangtung, British str., for Foodhow. 20, Helens, British bark, for Chefoo. 20, Thales, British str., for Hongkong

VESSELS ARRIVED IN EUROPE FROM PORTS IN CHINA, JAPAN, AND MANILA. (Per last Mail's Advice). Patropins Shanghai

AUGTION SALES TO-DAY:

J. M. ARMSTRONG.

Valuable Property At 3 P.M.



ment of Shameen, Canton, are hereby resuiste on or before the 4th September, 1882. be re-entered upon by H. M. & Governments A. R. HEWLETT,

H. M. Consulate. Conton, 20th July, 1882

Mossop are the Schoiters in the Bankruptcy. A Public Sitting will hereafter be appointed by the said Court for the said Bankrupts to pass their Final Examination and to make application for their discharge of which sitting notice will be given in the Hongkong Government Gazette. At the First Meeting of Creditors, the Registrar will receive the Proofs of the debts of the Creditors, and the Creditors, who shall have proved their debts respectively, or the majority in value of the said Creditors are hereby directed to choose at such meeting an Assigned or Assigness of the Bankrupts' Estate and Effects to be called the Creditors' Assignee or Assignees. by BCHWARCK: VERY HANDSOME BRUS Dated this 22nd day of July, 1882. DENNYS & MOSSOP

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG

Solicitors in the Matter.

IN BANKRUPTCY. OTICE.-WONG TSUK LAM, of Victo-Clerk in the Surveyor General's Department, GANY EXTENSION DINING TABLE, having been adjudged Bankrupt, under a Peti- CHAIRS, PINK and GOLD EMBOSSED tion for adjudication of Bankruptoy, fled in the DINNER SET, complete; TURQUOISE Supreme Court of Hongkong on the 21st day and GOLD DESSERT SET, GLASS and of July, 1882, is bereby required to surrender PLATED WARE, GUTTLERY, &c., &c. himself to EDWARD JAMES ACKROYD Esquire, the Registrar of the said Court at the FIRST MEETING of CREDITORS to be held by Shanghai, comprising: WALNUT and MAKthe said Registrar on the 4th day of AUGUST, BLE EMBOSSED BEDSTEAD with 1882, at ELEVEN of the clock in the foreneon, SPRING MATTRESS. &c., CHEST of

The said EDWARD JAMES ACKROYD, Hequire, AMERICAN SOLID MAHOGANY BED-4 the Official Assignce, and Messre Stephens STEAD, AMERICAN WALNUT IN-A Public Sitting will hereafter be appointed by the said Court for the said Bankrupt to pass his last examination, and to make application WOOL COVERED COUCH and EASY for his discharge, of which sitting notice will be CHAIRS, HANDSOME LACE CUETAINS. ESSEES of LOTS on the British Settle- given in the Hongkong Government Gazette. BRASS POLES, DOUBLE WASHING ment of Shameen, Canton, are hereby re. At the First Meeting of Oreditors, the Regis- SET, SHANGHAI BATH, DADY'S EVENquested to pay the Amounts due on their several trar will receive the proofs of debts of the Cre- ING CHAIRS, AMERICAN COOKING Lots as Annual Ground Rent loto HoM, Con. ditors, and the Creditors, who shall have proved STOVE. All Lots on which Ground Rent has not been of the said Creditors are hereby directed to paid on the 4th September next, will be liable to shoose at such meeting an Assignees and the Articles will be on view on THUREDAY. of the Bankrupt's Estate and Effects to be called the Creditors' Assignee or Assignees. Dated this 27th day of July, 1882. STEPHENS & HOLMES,

Solicitors in the Matter.

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STEPHENS & HOLMES. Solicitors for the Mortgages.

Hongkong, 31st July, 1882. PUBLIC AUCTION.

VERY HANDSOME and VALUABLE ENGLISH, AMERICAN and SHANGHALMADE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, MIRRORS, PAINTINGS, &c., &c.

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Hongkong, 26th July, 1882.

Road, Hongkong, Hongkong, 28th July, 1882

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his Rooms in Bank Buildings, Queen's Bond

1420 Houghong, 4th July 1882.

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Mitsu Bishi Mail Steamship Co. Hougkong, 31st July, 1882. STEAMSHIP "SAGHALIEN."

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE.

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of the Firm are open for inspection to intending DAY, the 4th August, at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing pharges. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, 28th July, 1882. FROM ADELAIDE, MELBOURNE SYD-NEY, QUEENSLAND PORT PORT DARWIN, THE Eastern and Anstralial Stockship Company's Chartered Steamer

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Captain R. Cass, will be despatched for the

Captain Felgate, will be despatched for the above port, TO-DAY, the 1st August, at FOUR

FEHE DIVIDEND, at the rate of 5 per cent. I or \$3.75 per SHARE, declared at the Ordinary Half-Yearly Meeting of Shareholders held THIS DAY, will be Payable at the Hono-EONG & SHANGHAL BANK on and after TO Shareholders are requested to apply at the

THE Undersigned has admitted Mr. ARTHUR GEORGE S!OKES into future will be conducted under the style of

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HONGKONG, AUGUST 1sr, 1882.

THE vacillation and inconsistency which have so conspicuously marked French policy Egypt are becoming as apparent in the course pursued towards Annam. There are not wanting signs to show that France is backing down in Cochin-China just as she did in Egypt. The appearance of apologetic articles which smack of official inspiration in the Saigon paper also suggests that the Government are attempting to give an artificial colouring the recent events. It was generally understood-in fact, it had been stated the French Chamber of Deputies, where a vote of credit was taken-that the object of the stipulation for opening the river Songkoi to commerce as far as it is navigable. It is now asserted by L'Indo-Chine Française that the expedition was sent to Hanoi beof the freebooters known as the Black Flag rebels, and that no demonstration was intended against Annam. We cannot accept this explanation. It does not harmonise with our belief; it is opposed to all testimony, and is not reducible to reason. The circumstances as narrated by our correspondent, whose account differed in no 'material point from that which, a good deal later, appeared in the Saigon paper; were that the French expedition, numbering some eight hundred men of all arms and several gunboats, arrived at Hanoi and summoned the Annamite Authorities to surrender the citadel. This they refused to do, and after due notice had been given, the fortress was bombarded and taken by storm by the French, under Commandant RIVIERE. This step was followed by the seizure and future control by the French of the Custom Houses at Haiphong and Hanoi, and it seemed certain that the French would then world.

proceed to open up the Songkoi to traffic, and openly take over the administration of Tonquin after purging the country from the Black Flag outlaws. But nothing more bas been done, and the French forces while hold. ing the Citadel at Hanoi have shown no disposition to meddle with the movements of the Black Flags. Until the assertion to that effect made by L'Indo-Chine Française, we certainly had no suspicion that the garrison of Hanoi Citadel included any members of the Black Flag association. Even supposing that obanged with Arabi Bay. to be the case, which we do not believe, the fort was commanded by Annamite mandarins, and after its capture two of thesethe Governor-General of the province and the General in command of the troops-committed suicide rather than surrender to the Frenchi. The Black Flags were troublesome on the borders of Tonquin, butit is idle to say that they held the Citadel of Hanoi. If they bad McIver, W. Reivers (Directors), W. M. Mordone so it must have been by the sanction the Hué Government, and this is not likely. as the rebels are bitterly opposed to the mail, D. J. Collago, B. Goldsmith, G. C. Cox, silver watch, value 27, the property of Colour Annamite mandaring. The real truth is, we imagine, that the French Government are RESIDENTS has been increased by upwards of 1,100 names, and gives reference to over 2,000 disinclined to become involved in a dispute on the table. It affords me pleasure to be able and he returned at 8.30. He did not look for his in Asia while the Egyptian and Tunisian troubles look threatening, and will not saw you here. You will observe that we have From what he learned from Private J. Smith, sanction any further outlay at present. carried a large sum to working account. Al- he made a report at the Central Police Station, That the annexation of Tonquin was intended when orders for the despatch of this expenditure has been anticipated. Newboilers | handed over. the expedition to Hanoi were issued is pretty conclusive. Towards the close of its re- steamer will have to be docked, and coupled on the 20th ult., the two defendants marks our Saigon contemporary ventures to with some other repairs, it is estimated we will came into his shop, and the first defendant of utter a thinly veiled threat against the Annamite Government, He says :- " Since we out for the Powan. This, in addition to repairs receipt for the money; which witness produced "bear the cost, it is only fair we should enjoy to her boilers, including doubling her keel He afterwards gave up the watch to P.S. Quincy. MAP OF THE TOWN AND EXPIRORS OF "the results. The annexation of Tonquin this steamer. I may tell you, gentlemen, that stated that on the evening of the 28th he was "city or powerlessness of the Government that these steamers are to incur such heavy out- saw the second defendant standing on the steps, BETTA Administration remained in power this and the latter good for an indefinite period, doing there, and he said the other man had gone appear to have the courage of its convictions, | necessary to put her boilers in good condition. | complainant's watch, and had sold it for \$7.50. and in Cochin-China prefers a policy of "masand Directories, Plan of Victoria, Code of Sig. terly inactivity." The utterance of the Saigon sum, but I am happy to mention that since the again, and he was locked up for being drank. at the same time somewhat difficult to divine the object for which such a statement indeed, considering that we have kept our flect was made unless it was intended to allay in good running order and have performed the Chipese uneasiness. Whether it will suffice AMOY Messrs. Wilson, Nicholls & Co. Yor that purpose, we must leave events to been disbursed out of the personer were sentenced to four months The signature of "Banish" was inadvertently omitted from "Chit-Chat" in vesterday's issue.

The Amoy Gazette of the 25th ultimo says :-"The barometer is falling rapidly, while the wind is from the North East. These facts in-

Shanghai Shipping Company has been formed to take over eleven sailing vessels and the tug Heron, hitherto managed by Mr. Nils Moller, and to carry on the general business of ship owning. The capital is Tls. 250,000, of which R. Belilios and Mr. McIver, were re-elected. said that all the present issue has been privately subscribed. The quotation for the shares of Tis. 1,000 each is 5 per cent. premium in our share list of this morning."

The Journal Official of the 5th July contains decree by the Governor, setting forth that in nese A-zion, called Du-tu, resident of Longrayen, and that a raid upon A-xion's house had led to the arrest of the Chinese Hu-a-my, president of seizure of \$825, contributed by the members immovable is confiscated. They are to be kept the sum of \$825 seized at the meeting is con

fiscated to the State."

From the Siam Advertiser we gather the fol lowing notes relative to the telegraph lines (connect Siam with the cater world:-The Freuch of the line will be completed to the boundary can be no reason why the people of Bangkok Government, it seems, have decided to continue Government to make all necessary preparations to have their line from Bangkok connected with to their prominent northern provinces. Recent orders have been sent to London for wire the expedition to Tonquin was to enforce the likewise been given to engage in England twenty provisions of the Treaty with Aunam, notably |-men, possessing a practical knowledge of tele-

graphy, for the telegraph office at Bungkok. Yesterday morning Major-General Sargent held his muster parade of the Buffs rade Ground, which takes place at the end of every month. The men were marched on cause the city had fallen into the hands to the ground at 6.30, and were drawn up in line to receive His Excellency. Before proceeding to the various evolutions, through which the men were put, General Sargent briefly addressed the mon. He made reference to the war which appeared to be impending in Egypt, and said he had received a telegram from the Government at home inquiring whether he had any men who would be willing to serve in that country. He asked baving attempted to pass a counterfeit coin, on whether any men present were ready to serve in the 29th ult. a campaign in Egypt, and if there were any, he The defendant made a purchase of some ground would call upon them to some forward, and have outs from a hawker named Chin Kin. He tentheir names entered. Preparations were made to deved what was apparently a 20-cent piece, and felt at the conduct of the regiment, and he has had the satisfaction of telegraphing in reply his old friends the Buffs were ready, every man, Chang A-kum, with a chopper on the 25th ult. treaty, the principal of which is the assurance of satisfactory result. Two severe wounds beginning of such lawsuit officially. The Go. President. With his hands still tied behind his animated by that dauntless courses which pion make better exception, handed him a only fair we abould sujoy the results. The an- his trial in the usual way.

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ENGLAND AND EGYPT. In the House of-Lords the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, in reply to a question, said that informal communications are being ex

THE HONGKONG, CANTON, & MACA STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED. The ordinary half-yearly meeting of the shareholders in the above Company was held at the Company's office, Queen's-road, yesterday afternoon; There were present-Hon, E. R. Belilios (Chairman), Hon. F. B. Johnson, Mesus. A. gan, H. Foss, J. C. des: Remedies, T. Arnold, M. B. Polishwalla, A. E. Vaucher, F. Hender-

son, J. B. Gomes, junc., J. F. de Rozs, H. Is- the Buffs, were charged with flaving stolen and P. A. da Costa (Secretary). port and accounts for the past half year are now 28th he went out leaving his watch in his room, better results than I expected when I last asked him about it, and he found it was gone spent during the current half year, A good deal of shop in Queen's road, where the watch was for the White Cloud were ordered from England | Chan Chan, of the Wong Hing Wo watch steamers for extraordinary repairs only \$18,000. speaking the items mentioned before should have ter, but the second defendant a bad one. half-year, but it has been deemed advisable to hard labour each. write them off the profits now in hand. When the six months shall have expired, our floet will be in therough order, and the whole of the earnings coming in may then be looked upon as perfeetly good. We have purchased the Kiangto buying up opposition, but in this instance quash competition, but to acquire steamers that coolie named Lin Kwai Sin, on the 20th ult.

dicate the approach of bad weather." Says the Mercury :- The silk crop this year they actually required. There was a gap in the has been very abundant, but prices remain never, night service between Hongkong and Canton. way home from Aberdeen when the defendant theless very high; the export has been very small Trade and traffic have not developed to such an came up to him and gave him two slaps in the and it has been mostly on account of Chinese extent as to warrent our running a boat of the Po. face, and then soizing him by his neek beat him themselves. Gentry. (3) The Common people shippers; although heavy losses have been made | wan class. Freight and passage money collected | withhis foot. Complainant asked the defendant not | new wish to follow their example, and to share by purchasers, prices are likely to be sustained at present will just suffice to pay for running the to beat him, but to take him to Station, and the the gains with them, but the people be unwilling in the country owing to the large demand for na. Kinng-Chow and for leaving us a small profit constable did so, but when he got there the to go shares. (4) Then the Gentry take them tive consumption caused by the prosperity of the on that line. We intend to withdraw the Spark, latter pushed him very violently against a table. Vefore the Officer. (5) The Gentry gave a feast country. These are the opinions of the officials, from the Canton-Macao waters and to replace beat him again, and then searched him. Raving to consider the matter. (6) Relying on their The low condition of the barometer yesterday adapted for that route and should compete more fendant kicked him out of the Station, after this titudes with idle tales. (8) While their plan afternoon, coupled with the great heat, and successfully with the Chan. Ping. This state complainant missed \$5 from his purse, though he was to sell their own land. The "Dual Powers' freshening breeze, caused some fears that dirty ment will convince you that these vessels are to did not see the defendant take it, and others gave them their reward. (9) The leader in the

Mr. ARNOLD seconded.

Mr. DA ROZA, the retiring directors, Hon. E.

seconded by Mr. MORGAN, the auditors, Messra.

business before you. I have to thank you for

Mr. GOMES-I beg to move a vote of thanks

your attendance, and to notify that the dividends

cretary, for their able management of the Com-

THE CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED.

The annual meeting of the shareholders:

the above Company was held at the Company's

Office, Queen's-road, yesterday afternoon, There

were present-Messrs, A. Molver (Chairman).

M. E. Sasseon, L. Possnecker, B. Schmacker, J.

harbarn, J. G. T. Hassell, (Directors) W. H

Loxley, E. George, F. Handerson, H. Wicking,

M. B. Polishwalls, E. C. Ray, C. D. Bottomley

B. Goldsmith, T. Arnold, A. Wernyss, A. S. Gar-

The CHAIRMAN-Gentlemen, with your per

trust the statement of accounts may have

pany is gradually expanding, and although

the amount to credit of profit and loss account

is not much in excess of the previous year,

it must be borne in mind that rates of premis

throughout the world have been considerably

less, and the result now attained has only been

earned by a largely increasing business, which

it is hoped may continue in the future. I am

pleased to inform you that during the first three-

months of the current year the receipts have

been very encouraging. Our losses, I regret to

say, are rather above the average of former years.

but are by no means excessive. The payment to

contributors is at the same rate as last year with

a small addition to the shareholders, leaving

\$25,000 to be transferred to credit of reserve

fund, and \$100,000 to be estried forward to the

new working account. If there ere any addi-

tional particulars required I will gladly furnish

On the motion of the CHAIRMAN, seconded

Mr. George, the appointment of Mr. Hassell

On the motion of Mr. Sassoon, seconded by

On the motion of Mr. POESNECKER, seconded

Mr. Habsell, the retiring directors, Messrs. B

the CHAIRMAN, Meesrs. T. Arnold and

POLICE COURT

31st July.

BEFORE MR. H. E. WODEHOUS

TENDERING COUNTERFEIT COIN.

Schmacker and J. Thurburn, were re-elected.

report and accounts be passed.

Mr. WICKING seconded.

a sea on the board was confirmed,

Forcest were re-elected auditors.

This concluded the business.

Carried quantimously.

them as far as possible; if not I propose that the

fit, J. S. Moses, and W. H. Ray (Secretary).

mission we will take the report as road.

Hausubild and Arnold, were re-elected

On the metion of the Hon. F. B. JOHNSON,

Carried unanimously.

pany's business.

Carried by acclamation.

weather might be felt here during the night, be most advantageously utilized. From advices were engaged in searching him. After five o'clock there was a general procession received from London our new steamer, the The defendant ntterly denied assault. awake, and not follow such unprincipled ways. of junks and small craft making for Causeway Honom, has proved to be a great success, so ing the man, but he said he was on the Bay, and it was deemed advisable by captains much so, that our agents write "she will take look out for a man who had stolen a pair, haps guide our readers to a fuller conception of of the river steamers to get their boats into the shine out of all river steamers in this part of trousers, and seeing the complainant pass, the foregoing. (1) In the first four lines the safer enchorages than alongside the whorf. Up of the world." This, gentlemen, is very satisbeen the salled on him to stop. He would not stop. Idel secons to express the sentiments of the to the time of going to press, however, we are factory; we can now only hepe to see her riding and defendent ran after him whon the Literati on the subject of building within the glad to say that there was no appearance of the safety at archer in this harbour ere long. Pro. man called him "fan kwai" and threatened to large district called Teng-Shan. (2) He also com-

The following announcement appears in the N. C. Daily News of the 25th ultimo:-" The

The French Government in Saigon continues | will be payable tomorrow. to the Chairman and directors, and also the Seview of the decree of 25th May, 1881, and of the report of the Administrator of Longzayen dated 8th June, making known that frequent secret meetings of members of the Heaven and Earth Society had been held in the house of the Chithe meeting, and of 42 members, as well as the therefore the Chinese, A-xion, commonly known as Du-tu, and Hu-a-my, are to be banished to Palo-Condore, and all their property movable and n jail in Saigon till sent to Pulo-Condore, and

given satisfaction. The business of the Comare urging the Siamese Government to hasten on their part of the telegraph line to connect Saigon with Bangkok. In a few days the French part line between Cambodia and Siam, and if the Siamese Government are ready to complete their part of the line, with ordinary dispatch, there may not be able to communicate, by telegraph. with their friends abroad, next your. The Indian their telegraph line from Tavoy to the Siamese boundary line, and have requested the Siamese it. The Sismess Government, however, does not abandon their design of having a telegraph along the banks of the Chow Prayah river extending Siamess Government have on band a large quantity of telegraph wire, enough to enable them to complete their connection with the Saigon line. enough to complete their connection with the line to Tavoy in British Barmah. Orders have

came forward to a man without hesitation. General | until he was stopped by a constable. Sargent expressed the gratification which he Sentenced to six weeks imprisonment. blows on the head, forehead and hand. The

defendant's amuck was put a stop to by a relative of the complainant's and he was given into

> London, 29th July. having burglariously entered the house of one the proposition, the motion was lost. Chan Kam Chi, and stealing property to the value of \$12.48, on the 24th ult

taking the man into the house, the woman re- ordinary requirements by Sunday next. cognised the articles in the bundle as part of We observe that Signor Chiarinia Circus, democratic influence which regulates the course titleacquired by the Tien Chu Tang, and simply to her lost property.

Six months "imprisonment. BEFORE CAPT. H. G. THOMSETT, R.N.

LARCENY BY BOLDTERS. William Sullivan and Henry Day, privates Sergeant Henry Stackpools, on the 28th ult.

The CHAIRMAN said-Gentlemen, our re- . The complainant stated that at 5 p.m. on the to meet you to-day with a document showing watch, but the following evening Sergeant Day most the whole of this sum will have to be and P. S. Quincy with a detective went to a

long ago. These have arrived. To fit them the maker shop, Quesus'-road West, stated that require \$28,000 to \$30,000 for this vessel. A fered the watch in question for sale for \$10, and new steam windless, anchor, and chain are coming jultimately sold it to witness for \$7.50 giving a plates, will entail an expenditure of \$14,000 on Thomas James Dorey, a Private of the Buffs, will be the consequence which the dupli- this is the first time ever since they were built passing near the complainant's room when he lays for repairs. This expense should surely and the first defendant inside the room. He "of Hue will bring about." Had the GAM- reader the former good for at least neven years, asked the second defendant what they were end would probably have been openly avowed or say for ten years. The Kin-Kinng into the room to see what he could get. Later was surveyed in dook recently, and the hull was on he saw the defendants, who gave him long ago, but the FREYCINET Ministry does not found to be perfectly sound. It will be only some rum, and told him they had stolen the To do so the cost will be \$4,000. The aggregate | He took no notice of this statement as the men of these figures doubtless makes a formidable were drunk. The next day they treated him journal will not mislead, however. It is your 1879 we have expended on the existing The first defendant alleged that the witness Dorey gave him the watch to sell, and the se This sum, gentlemen, is certainly very small cond defendant denied all knowledge of the theft

Lieut, Holmes, in command of the detachment service satisfactorily to the public. Strictly belonged, gave the first defendant a good charac-

> Chan Yu Ling, coolie, had a similar sentence passed upon him for stealing a piece of wood value 31, from outside a carpenter's in Queen's Road West, on the 31st ult.

Chow and the Yot-sai. Your directors are averse . A POLICE SERGEANT CHARGED WITH ASSAULT P. S. James Hill appeared, on remand, to a they laid out the sum of \$57,500, not only to summons charging him with having assaulted a The complainant alleged that he was on his her by the Yot-Sai. The latter will be better taken the turf cutting permit from him, the de- published prohibitions. (7) Deceiving the mal-

suming that there are no questions to be asked strike him with an umbrella. Defendant took | ments on the action of the Gentry in themselves I beg to propose that the report and the so- him to Station by the queue where the man previously selling various plots of land for throw the perceit at him, and opened his jacket, Foreign building within the district named. It thus showing he had nothing under it. The was of course no harm for them to do so, they On the motion of Mr. Reiners, seconded by noisy and abusive, and went away threaten. piece of land sold two years ago to the English

The complainant was sent to the Civil Hospital. for examination and the case was further re-The CHAIRMAN-This, gentlemen, is all the manded till to-day.

CORRESPONDENCE

[We do not hold carealy es responsible for the opini

expressed by our Correspondents.]

THE RECREATION GROUND. TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS. SIR.—The majority of Tennis players in this colony cannot but be grateful to "Banian" for

his remarks regarding the closing of the Cricket

Ground for Tennis during the summer months

especially if those remarks should lead to the For my own part, I fail to see the slightest reason for so doing away with Tennis, the court are not placed anywhere near the wicket area. ac this can be no excuse. If damage to the grass e the cause, it is simply ridiculous, seeing that in winter very little damage is done and now there would probably not be half the play, and what is more to the point, the grass would recover itself far more quickly; but even if the

There are many who would be only too glad o avail themselves of this means of taking exercise, and thus place themselves independent of those who possess private grounds, but who, unfortunately (with one or two exceptions) are especial clique.-Yours truly,

grass did become damaged, all that would be re-

quired would be to look up the Tennis bats for

Hongkong, 31st July, 1892.

AFFAIRS IN TONQUIN

French journals continue to discuss the oc-Hung Atung unemployed, was charged with ant being close to him, came in for three veryment of Has will bring about.

FOOUROW.

In our last issue, in alluding to the number of votes for and against the proposition of Billiards on Sunday, the same were inadvertently reversed.

had, on the morning of the 27th July, to and a vast and dangerous crowd of determine to secertain whether they were in accordance The complainant, who alloged herself to be a coase temporarily the supply of Ice to the men melted away into individual harmlessness. with the duplicates in the bands of Yu and Kuch, married woman, but who could not remember community, owing to a break down. It the name of her husband, stated that during the appears that through the inferior quality of action by all whose eyesight is strong enough small rent (pepper-core rent I suppose is meant) night in question her house was broken into, and Ether supplied (although the purest descrip. to pierce the woodwink of prejudice and fore- and full power to reseli... The following day (5th The House of Commons has agreed to the vote clothes and jewellery carried off while she was then is contracted for) it has been impossible to gone conclusion. In the face of one such suc. June M. Conraux sent his servant House Hingusing P.S. Forbes met the defendant carrying keep a stock on hand. To effect the necessary cossful resistance to ill-directed authority, it know with the contracts as requested by the Fu Tu bundle under his arm, and after a chase scor- repairs as early as possible, labour is being seems absurd to maintain the old views as to the trung. On comparing them with the duplicates, ed the man, who pointed out complainant's house simployed night and day; and we understand slavish subjection of the Chinese people to a all was found in order. The Fu Tu-t'ung's asses. as that from which he got the perperty. On that Mr. Begley hopes to be in a position to meet band of oppressive rulers. And popular omputes who compared the documents hypocritically

> which has recently given such satisfaction to of affairs in China, more powerful and more ex- ratify all that had been done. Yil and Knoh carethe Hongkong and Shanghai communities, is to | tensive in its operation than is generally believed | fully abstained from giving consent, the wing pervisit Foodhow next week. We hope that to be compatible with an ultra-autocratic Impe- feetly well that if they gave in they would incur the Signor may have more pitious weather rialism such as that which is localised in the the revenge of the mandarins. On 8th June M. than he has recently experienced in Shanghai. Court of Peking. The Chinese masses seem to Contaux sent for a reply from the Fu Tu-t'ung. The site selected for the Hippodrome is on a be fully aware of what stuff rulers are made of, who told the messenger that he could not himself piece of open ground close to the Customs Road. who and what it is that gives them the power settle the matter, as, although by treaty it was We have little doubt about Signor Chiarini re- they wield, and who and what it is that can, if allowed to buy ground and build and he would not ceiving large patronage from the untives, to needs be, receive that power back again into its make opposition thereto, it was necessary to come whom the novelty will undoubtelly be most own safe keeping.

appreciable. The thunderstorm which passed over Foochow bont noon on Friday last (23rd), occasioned some damage. The building in course of erection opposite the Missionary residences was struck by the trate here for about five years, is removed. lightning in two places, the semi-erected structure being streaked from its top to the ground. One of Messrs. Hedge & Co.'s cargo boats, which spected on the 23rd July. was lying off Mesars. Gittins & Co.'s Godowns. was struck amidships, the electric fluid passing through the bottom of the vessel. Fortunately the latter was not laden at the time, and the We also learn that the United States Consulate was struck by the lightning, but no damage of any consequence was sustained. We do not hear

dead at the Anchorage. y with him in Yunnan a trusted counsellor, now medical mandarin in Foodhow, who has been provisionally appointed Grain Tastai and entristed with the duty of transacting business with the Foreign Cousuls.

We learn that the latter have little-cause to wioice at the appointment of this gentleman, who neither knows nor understands the foreign treaties, and who is more prone to complicate than to arrange matters with which he has to

Our attention has been directed to a Chinese document, which has been recently posted about grisvance of the purchase of land by foreigners from the natives. The translation of the doonment is of the most literal character, but we beps may be intelligible. The Proclamation runs as follows :---

(TRANSLATION.) PROCLAMATION OF HANG KWANG HU

(AN IDOL.) (1) "Foreigners understand about land. the Teng-Shan district. must no houses built. (2) Worst were they who first sold land (in this district). They relied on their being matter surely. (10) I trust you all will be

The following explanatory remarks may perman refused to take his permit back, became were Gentry. (3) Here reference is made to the Mission, but which they are not yet allowed to of the trouble, no objection was raised until the vendors of the land declined to give the Gentry the squeeze they demanded. (5) Refers to a feast given in an adjoining Temple, when the Gentry decided to oppose the sale. (6) Refers to second notices posted up last year, and of which translations appeared in the Herald, to the affect that the foreigners must not have land in the Teng-Shan district (although there already existed some five or six foreign houses in anch district). (7) Refers to "Feng Shui" &c. (8) The motive of the Gentry being to sell their own land, and make money for themselves. (9) Mr. Tang, the man who heads the opposition.died soon after the trouble commenced 0) The Idol (an unusually sensible one) concludes with a general exhortation to all, to avoid the way of these money loving unprincipled "Gentry."

The Anchorage has been the scene of corsi-

derable excitement amongst the Chinese during

the past few days. A native of Anhui, employed

dispute with his servant, and ended by kicking was immediately aroused on behalf of the dead trophe of Death. Also, on behalf of the bereaved body, and would not be comforted-by promises at Shanghai. There is no doubt of his being a in the Fu Tu-t'ung's own courtyard or Yamen. away, and at length an official was despatched respondent. very chary of inviting anyone ontaids their own from Foochow to hold the usual coroner's inquest, without which it is illegal to bury, even to disturb, the corpse of a man who has either been murdered or found dead under suspicious circumstances. A matched was erected within view of the body, with a table for the convenience of the coroner. Crowds of underlings stood over my signature for a long time, and my de- ings, but he was nucovered. Later on M. Conround while the "expert" examined the dead man sire now is to place before your readers what I raux saw other mandarins wearing buttons, but L'Indo Chine Française of the 22nd July says and reported the result to His Honour. All this have good reason for believing to be a correct could not recognise them. has been described over and over again, with the version of the outrage on the person of M. Con- During these many hours of agony the priest cupation of the citadel of Hanci by our troops details which cast such ridicule upon what would raux -alluded to in your issue of 6th inst. Two and the native had to submit to all the cruelties as an event of consequence, attaching to this be otherwise an imposing if not a solemn spec. French missionaries - Pères A. Requit and T. B. that can be imagined. Every object that could brilliant feat of arms an importance which it tacle. We pass on to say that in this particular Raffard-after making the fallest inquiries at be used became an instrument of torture. neither has nor can have. The troops dispatched case the expert reported " No wounds," and that Hu-lau where they went with faint hope of find. Sticks, fans, pipes, even the planks of the cart to Hanoi had no other object than to hold this report, based as it was believed to be, upon ing their colleague still alive, returned with were made use of to contuse the poor fellows. in control the Black Flags, who were becoming a metallic foundation, raised the feelings of the him to Pa-yen su-su on a strutcher on 20th June. The fellows tried to gouge out their eyes, the every day more audacions and threatening even by standers to a pitch of ungovernable fory. It will be as well to explain the object of M. blackness and traces of which will not soon to interrupt all communication between that im- The coroner was insulted and flually assailed. | Conraux's visit to Hu-lan Ho, and what occarred die out. Feet, legs, orms, and shoulders are portant centre of trade and the towns situated His clothes were torn, and he was driven to take provious to the scenes in which he was one of the covered with big blotches. Nose, forehead and on the banks of the Red River between Hanei and | refuge in the house of the man he was trying | victims. the sea. This and has been attained. Possibly for murder, whence he escaped to Foochew in a the occupation of the citadel did not constitute hired sampan. The inquest was thus brought so lan Catholic school, by name Hnang Tsz-han der beaped upon it, and thrown into his eyes part of the orders given to Commandant Rivière, far to an abrupt and unsatisfactory termination. arrived at Payen-su-su (Province of Hei-lung and mouth. I hardly like to tell all the inbut the fortress having fallen into the hands of The above is the story of this tragedy as it Klang) and informed the missionaries that two dignities M. Conrang had to bear, but wisbthe Black Flags, with or without the connivance first reached us, filtered through the usual chan- of the persons from whom some ground had been ling to state the truth and nothing extenuate I prudent not to leave them there to fortify and substantially correct. The victim did not com- two persons are Hou and Ton-a third, Fu, had clothing, beaten on the stomach, thighs and deganise themselves. If we had allowed them to mit suicide by hanging. He died from the et. escaped. The ground was bought openly in the other parts of his person, particularly where he become masters of the town and citadel we would feets of his master's violence, and the latter in name of the Tang. The Chief Mi. was shot, and lighted pipes applied to his parts. have had great difficulty in afterwards dislodg- vented the hanging, pointing to a dark mark litary Mandarin of the city, the Fu Tu-t'ong. Parched with thirst he called for water, and was ing them. Commandant Rivière, who commands round deceased's neck in proof of his assertion. the little expedition, thought that to defer danger | The expert at the fuguest reported " No wounds," was not to overcome it; and he accordingly took as we have already stated, and the coroner enaction. We congratulate ourselves on the re- tereda verdict of " Death by suicide, from hangsuits echiored, but it is painful to see the journals | ing." But the by-standers would have none of in France distorting their meaning and effect, this. Each man in the great crowd which re-In exercising a surveillance over the free move. | ceived this verdict with hoots and yells to be property fairly to French missionaries, whose terrible six hours. It is extraordinary such ment of trading boats on the great river of Ton- beard a mile off, knew well enough how the passports give them a parfect right to pure things could be done to a Catholic missionary in quin we are simply exercising a right which we dark mark had been caused, and could tell to a chase, it was decided that Father Coursus these days of Chinese civilisation, under the eyes possess in virtue of the protectorate we hold over cash what consideration would pass between should go to Hu-las and beg the Fu Tu-t'ung, and in his very Yamon. Oh; Touquin. We would, in truth, have much pre- the coroner and the murderer for such patent tung to await the result of an appeal to ye treaties! ferred that Annam should execute this work perversion of justice. Hence the tumult from enrol the list of volunteers for active service, but received change. The hawker found the coin herself through the numerous functionaries she which the coroner had to take refuge in some while, rather than that innecent countrymen as possible, in the belief that he was suffering for the men rendered these preparations unnecessary, to be of copper, and he called to the defendant maintains in the province. It was her right neighbouring house, while his retinue were in should be put the faith. Once he admits erying out, when his for when the call for volunteers was made, they to come back, but the fellow ran off full speed and duty, and we have not taken her place jured from the stone throwing which ensued, on the acquired territory. The original owners eyes seemed to start out of his head from under with pleasure. We have noted in this matter and His Honour's chair was amashed to atoms, of the ground, Yil and Kuch, had been compelled the fingers of his executioners. Long after midonly on the necessity imposed by the helpless. This happened on Sunday night, the 23rd July. by the mandarin agents to institute a lawsuit night he and the schoolmaster were taken from ness, indifference, or ill-will of the Annamese By Monday morning a new coroner had been against Hon, Tou, and Fu, the sellers, so as to the cart to be interrogated by a kind of Court, Ng A-ng, stone outter, was charged on re- authorities. The Government of Hue has taken appointed, and the inquest was held over again, prevent any building, even for an ordinary re- composed of sight blue-buttoned and white-butto the communication received to the effect that mand, with having assaulted a fishmonger named no pains to carry out the provisions of the last this time with a totally different; and more sidence, and the Fu Tu-t'ung had announced the boned mandarins, Wu-erh-king-d seeming to be to take service in Egypt. At the muster drill The defendant was engaged in pugilistic on the lead River. We are was made acquainted by the back he was put on a bench and held up by two every man in the regiment capable of doing counter and the complainant was a spectator in fact doing counter and the complainant was a spectator in fact doing counter and the could not say a word on account so is present, and it must be a pleasure to of the battle. Presently a lady friend of the little by supposing this intolerable situation must limited by strangling after death. The result May. No reply has been received, but from of the black by supposing this intolerable situation must limited by strangling after death. The result May. No reply has been received, but from of the black by supposing this intolerable situation must limited by supposing this intolerable situation must limited by supposing this intolerable situation must be a pleasure to of the battle. all to see that our soldiers are still defendant, desirons of seeing her cham, not have an end. Since we bear the cost it is being that the murderer was arrested to take what his instructions to the Fu Tu-t'ung of Hu- they touched his lips with water, when he was they have so signally displayed on many chopper, and with this wespon he hit about negation of Tongula will be the consequence But even this did not setting the popular cry Governor has incurred grave responsibilities numerous questions but to him. There has a hard fought field in nearly every part of the the growd promisonously, and the complaint which the deplicity or powerlessness of the go, of blood for blood. It was feared that if the sad events which the deplicity or powerlessness of the go, of blood for blood. It was feared that if the sad events which the deplicity or powerlessness of the go, of blood for blood. It was feared that if the sad events which the deplicity or powerlessness of the go, of blood for blood. 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misoarriage of justice might still result. The

SHANGHAI.

The Che-beien, Moh, who has been Magis-The Mixed Court is about to change quarters. A site secured near the Racquet Court was in-

The three American lorcha captains, Faller, Lee, and Mackenzie, were tried last weak at of any lives being storified during the storm in Ningpo, before U. S. Consul. Mr. Stevens; Dr. judging from their gray clothing, turnish the Foochow, but a boy of nine year of age was struck Lord, Associate; and the Cheh-hsien and the corner of the street; but they were not in usual We are informed that on the 14th of this Watson, controller of police, was the prosecutor, with sticks known as fu-ping. They were in a month the Vicercy of Fokien took ever charge and the prisoners were charged with brutally great state of excitement, and attering loud of the functions of the Governor Te'en, who on assaulting a certain Chinaman named Captain criss and threats. that day delivered up the seals of office. Chang, and thereby endangering the peace of M. Conranz entered his room, the only other The latter, accompanied by his Taiwan troops, the settlement. The prisciers were convicted, occupant of the house being his cook, who was soners were brought up to Shanghai on the 23rd secuted for the naisance he committed, and which led to the disturbance .- Mercury.

> was granted the company by the Council to carry the French Bund by similar method of sectional the Company's works are in an advanced state; resaing rapidly towards completion. The magsitude of the works under progress precludes all readers some details.—Courier.

> > PEKING.

Wednesday carden-parties, but two Wednesdays | the secondrelism by renewed assaults. have been pouring with rain. On the 14th there

MURDEROUS OUTRAGE ON ABBE

NEWCHWANG, 17th July.

On 31st May the master in charge of the Hu. with the blood, saliva, earth and tobacco-powwanted to force the vendors into returning the at once inundated with prine. His hair was money which had been paid, and throatened to pulled out and the rope round his neck was turn them out of such possessions as they still tightened so that he was all but strangled. retained. In consequence of such threats, and to Many times of course M. Conranz fainted from prevent, if possible, the sufferings of poor people | the effects of such harbarity, and I leave you to whose only guilt was having parted with their | think what he must have suffered during these the superior authorities, engaging that, mean- Poor M. Conraux bore his troubles as patiently lan have evidently been you will see that the able to mutter a few words, in reply to the

Father Contant arrived at Ha-lan on 3rd June coroner was made to understand that the corpse and resided in a small house or tenement, 20ft. would not be buried until life had been given for by 18ft, consisting of two compartments, and life. There was therefore no alternative, used as a school for the children of newly made The people were unwavering in their de- converts. This tenement was on the gramme and to find a surety of \$10 for his good behaviour The article should have read that there were 38 mand, and a messenger was sent off to the Vice- referred to as purchased by the T'ien Chu T'ang. for three months, or in default to be committed. votes in favour of the proposed amendment and roy. About 6 p.m. on Tassday evaning a launch | On 4th June being received by the Fu Ta. I and 25 votes against; but that it requiring a majority steamed up to the Arsenal jetty, bearing the Poli, this gentleman stated that the title was Trang San, unemployed, was charged with of two thirds of the members present to carry death-warrant; and by 7 p.m. the murderer's nullified because the original owners Yu and head had been severed from his body. Justice Kuch had not consented. He desired to see the The Foochow Ice and Erated Water Company was appeared; popular excitement was allayed; contracts of sale to Hou, Tou, and Fa. in order There is a lesson to be learned from this trans- who sold in perpetuity with the condition of a of the kind are common enough. There is a advised Yu and Euch to desist from opposing the to terms with Yuand Kuoh, when he would ratify the result. Not withstanding the Fu Tu tang's fair promises.-Hou and Tou (Fu being still at large) were taken to the Yamen on 9th and thrown on their knees till 7 p m. so that they should annul their contracts. This they refused to do.

On 10th June, M. Conrang requested an audience of the Fu Tu-t'ung, but was refused. On 12th, word was sent to him by the Fu Tu-t'ung A sale has been made of a piece of land in the | that he had better await for two or three days an Fokien Road at the rate of Tis. 5,000 per mow. answer from the Governor of Pu Kuci, and he The Taotal of Shaughel has charged himself | waited patiently from 12th to 15th, during with the representation of China at the Dutch | which time the scheme was hatched which was damage therefore was not very considerable. Exhibition by sending the exhibits for the Chi- to end so fearfully. Was this the answer to be expected from Pu Kuei, I wonder P

> About 6 p.m. on the 15th June, as M. Conraux was leaving his room, he saw a crowd of soldiers, Taotai's Secretary watching the case. Major uniform or buttoned, and were armed betensibly

is to leave Foodhow in a few days for and the Judgo's summing up occupied fully half preparing the evening meal. The soldiers, who an hour, which, our correspondent says, was seemed suddenly transformed into brigands, act as vicercy ad interim. Ta'en had former delivered with great emotion. The prisoners soon cleared away the slight paling made of mil. were sentenced to three months' imprisonment let stalks, and surremided the house. One felin the United States Consular Gool at Shanghai, low, decently dressed, got to the door of the and, in addition, were fixed \$100 each. The pri- room and saluted the priest, who asked what he wanted and what the noise meant. Before any July. It is reported at Ningpo that the U.S. answer could be returned, the soldiers rushed in-Consul intends to have the Chinese captain pro- to the room through the door and the broken windows, and rained blows from sticks and fists on the unarmed foreigner, who was pushed till We note that the Shanghal Water-Works brought up against a piece of furniture used as Company are rapidly pushing forward their work an altar. In the hope of frightening them the French Concession. Since permission away, and also for fear of leaving a dangerous weapon in their hands. M. Conraux took up his on operations during the summer, the indefstig- revolver, lying on the furniture, intending to the Foreign settlement, relating to the old able Engineer in chief has lost no time in prose- fire it off in the air at once for it might be used cuting his work. Ground was first opened on against himself. But before he could put 19th June, round the Municipal block on the his finger on the trigger he was thrown over, North-side of the Rue du Consulat and rapidly and beaten unmercifully. Whilst he was making trenched towards the West. The working is the most stranuous efforts to disengage his right. carried out in systematical sections; embracing arm and hand which held the revolver, the latter all the intervening streets to the Western er went off and one of the worst assassins fell at treasity of the Concession. The Rue du Consu. his feet. This soldier, a mandarin with copper lat being the principal thoroughfare, here will button, is named Wu, and his family live in the be laid two mains, but to prevent interruption to village of Pao Kis Wos Peng some 40 li north traffic, the pipes on the north side are being laid of Hulan. After the revolver went off-in atfirst. On the completion of this section, the mains tempting to fire which M. Conraux's only object on the south side of the Rue du Consulat will was to avoid its being used against himself-it be commenced together with the parallel main was snatched away from him and several more by the City Creek, including all the intervening shots were fired. He was thrown down, a rope streets. On the completion of the two sections was put round his neck, and he was dragged into mentioned, the work will be carried on South to the yard. In less time than I can write it they tied him up hand and foot, and there being noworking, past Kin-lee-yuen, and so on to the thing more to fear from him, the curs best him to southern limits of the Concession. During the their hearts' centent, Finally a cart was get and progress of pipe-laying each section is controlled poor M. Conrant was hauled on the back by a series of eluice-valves and on the comple. of it by the scoundrels and tied to it by the tion of the lengths between the valves, the pipes neck and feet, although he was freely bleeding. are tested under pressure and then closed. By Another victim was already on the cart for the this method every length is laid, proved, and schoolmaster Huang Tex han, hearing the noise, covered in with great dispatch—the time the left his school, which had been removed to make trenches remain open being thus reduced to the room for the Abbe, was laid hold of, threwn shortest possible period. When the laying of down, beaten, and obsined up. The cert being the French Concession is completed, there will set in motion, one can only imagine the tortures. be between nine and ten miles of piping. From M. Conraux and his native friend must have enquiry, we are happy to be able to state that antiered, for we know from experience that even the general health of the Concession has been in vigorous health, on good roads and with in no way impaired, by opening the ground. bedding and pillows to soften the shaking, there Generally, from our observations it appears that is not any pleasure in carriage travelling in China. The road to the river (about 5 li long) the Aqueducts are finished and are now, being was selected, and the vehicle was surrounded by painted. Some of the massive granite blooks the butchers, who seemed quite clated at the for the foundation of the Water-tower are already wonderful victory they had achieved, and in position, and at an early date the superstructure called out "Let's drown." Let's drown Two lokengs at the station at the time cor. take possession of. (4) This was the beginning will be proceeded with. At the Yangtzse pool them." It is to be remarked that during these works the main chimney for a pumping-station outrages, and in fact right through to the end, is now advanced to a height of forty feet above yamen people and soldiers only appear to have the road-way; and boilers and machinery are in | been concerned. M. Conraux discovered that he course of erection, whilst we note that the re- was losing much blood and that he was badly servoirs and other branches of the works are pro. | wounded in the left thigh-which was pierced through and through by a shot. The bullet's direction was from front to back, but when this detailed description for the present, but at a wound was inflicted he has not the remotest idea later date we may be in a position to give our | Perhaps in his room, or in the yard, or the cart; anyhow, being beaten almost to death, he could not be expected to pay particular attention to the kind of wespon used. Slowly the cart proceeded through the silent and terrified crowd of The weather have has been extremely hot, yet | people, the soldiers diverting themselves by slapeverybody is later in going to the Hills than ping or spitting on M. Conraux's face. On their usual. Sir Robert Hart keeps up his pleasant meeting a Bannerman he was invited to support

What was the chief authority about? The was a grand fele at the French Legation in Fu Fu-t'ung must have been aware of his solhonour of the Republic and the storming of the diers' attempts to assessinate a missionary-a in the Arsenal as master workman, fell into a Bestille. It, rained hard all day nearly, but foreigner. Neither he nor his officers appeared luckily it aleared up about eight o'clock, and we to stop the crime. When they got to the river, and gone ally assaulting him. The next step in found the grounds illuminated with two thou- the leader of the procession took another road, the proceedings was duly Chinese; the servant sand lanterns, red, white, and blue, and fireworks and M. Conraux, seeing that he was not to be went and hanged himself. Then popular feeling going on. Afterwards there was dancing in the drowned, thought he was doomed to lose his head great pavilion. We have had some excellent on the execution ground instead of which he man's shade, sent down into the nether world music here lately. A Mr. Twiss has paid us a was taken to the Yamen, at the further extrebefore its time, its passage thither masmoothed visit, who plays the violin splendidly. Unfor- mity of the City, where he arrived as night was tunately there is no Hall in Peking to be hired, soming on, amidst the sound of gongs to collect Chinese are wont to sarround the ordinary catas. and an artist must be indebted to the community the soldiers from all quarters,—as the Fu Tufor a room. However, he gives a concert at Tien- toung feared the Christians might rebel; whereas mother, who sat weeping by the side of her son's tain and I believe intends to try his fortune also the poor people thought more of flight. There, money compensation. Several days passed very fine performer .- N. C. Daily News Cor. the cart remained till midnight, with the two victims still tied thereon, and subject to the uncontrolled fury and ill-will of the soldiery. - On bis entry into the tribunal, M. Couraux clearly recognised in the middle of his tormentors a blue-buttoned mandarin named Wu-orb-king-e, vulgarly called Wu Pai-mao. This gentleman You have not been troubled with emanations was smoking a pipe and enjoying the proceed-

in pretended examination of his wounds, and

made to sign his deposition, such as it might be, for which purpose his hands were untied. At sunrise he was placed again on a cart and marched off, under command of the famous Wu- FTWO New Gunboat's BOLLERS, 20 H.P. each erh-king-t, supported by runners, to the house where he had been attacked the day before. Everything seemed however to have been wrecked in his humble dwelling, and the doors and win- pan DONKEY ENGINE, 4 Small BOYLERS, dows were broken to pieces. Under these cit- 2 Spram Windhes. 2 Launch's Engines. cumstances he was glad to accopt the hospitality of a neighbour.

I may form the opinion that the missionaries are a BISCULT MACHINES, I COPPER COOKING very welcomest Hulan. Many of the unconvert. APPARATUS and CONDENSER, 3 COOKING ed visited M. Contagnat and sympathised with him RANGES, a BULLIVANT'S PATENT 41 Inch over his misfortunes, and evinced great disgust FLEXIBLE STREL HAWSER, mounted on a at the treatment he had received. The man- Patent Reel: 2 DECE FORCE PUMPS: 36 IRON daring are solely to blame for the whole affair. ARLETREES. A quantity of CHAIN-CABLE, and appear to be the only guilty parties. Many in sizes from 1 to 21 inch. things have been stolen by the soldiers during the sacking of the house, and the inventory has been sent to Fu Tu t'aug!

Pâ-yen su-su, where M. Conranx was taken care of by his two friends, Requit and Raffard, is SUNSHIN SILKS. north-east, My information comes directly from there, and I am glad to leafn that M. Conraux is slowly recovering. - "Philo Coreauus," in N. O. Daily Netve.

A young lady used to think it was all-right for her lover to go over to the next town because he admired the beauty of the place. But when she learned that the beauty of the place was a rivel, she underwent a change of mind.

Thames Street Industries, by Percy, Russell. This Illustrated Paniphlet on Perfumery, &c. nublished at 6d, may be had gratis from any Chemist or dealer in perfumery in the World, or John Gosnell and Co., London — [Advt.] [631] A good joke is told of a certain Dablin professor a stickler for ventilation. Being put in a room at a botel with another guest, he asked the latter to raise the window at night as the air was so close. "I can't raise it," said the guest, after working at the window for a while, "Then knock a pane of glass out" said the professor, which was done. After a while-the professor got un and broke another, then he was able to sleep; but in the morning he discovered that they had only broken into a bookense.....

Country Paper The Yienna Presse publishes intelligence from . St. Petersburg which states that serious military riot has occurred at Cronstadt. It commenced in an insignificant brawl between some sailors and a-tillerymen of the garrison, in which gradually a large number of soldiers off duty joined. The attempts of the officers to restore order baving been scornfully repulsed by the combatants, a battalion of infantry was called out but only succeeded in arresting the rioters after a severe struggle, in which many were seriously wounded on both sides.

The Daily News says :- Wa learn that some progress is bein; made with the works for the Panama Capal Expanations have been begun at several places; but much sickness and mortality prevail among the labourers, who are to a | RONG and SOUTH CHINA for the Japan large extent drawn from the West Indies espe-oislly from Jamaica. The Brench have built hospitals, for which there seems to be only too much need. The total absence of all proper saultary arrangement is said to be a far greater cause of disease than the unhealthiness of the climate, although during eight or nine months TORNE HIGHLAND WHISKY of the year the heat is intense. The Europeans on the Isthmus-many of whom have been attracted thither by the hope of employment—have experienced great suffering; but their respective Governments, acting through the resident Consuls, have been prompt to relieve all urgent cases of distress. The Government of Jamaica we loarn, have also set an excellent example in this respect:

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Hongkong, 29th July, 1882. [1439

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Captain Potter, having a limited amount of

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For Freight, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

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THE 3/3 L L. I. American Bark

Port, and will have quick despatch.

Hongkong, 24th July, 1882.

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Captain Ellis, will be despatched as above,

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SATURDAY, the 5th August.

Hongkong, 24th July, 1882.

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Hougkong, 28th July, 1882.

THE Company's Steamship

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On 5th Aug., at NOON. On 4th Aug., at 4 P.M. On or about 2nd Aug.

TO BE DESPATCHED

On or about 7th Aug.

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On or about 4th Aug.

On 4th Aug., Daylight,

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will be despatched as above on or about the 26th above port, TO-DAY, the 1st August, at Noon. instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, 19th July, 1882, HE 3/3 L. I. I. American Ship-[34 | Captain F. Ashton, will be despatched for the

above Ports, TO-DAY, the 1st August, at Dunbar, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 29th June, 1882.

> FOR HAMBURG, DIRECT. THE 3/3 L. I. I. German Bark

Kliefoth, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to Hongkong, 13th June, 1882.

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Nickels, Master, will load here for the above

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together with the POLITICAL AND GENERAL NEWS of the Fortnight. The "Trade Report" has a large circulation | Schwan, Ger. brig, T. | Schroder .- Siemssen in Hongkong, the Ports of China and Japan, the Philippines, Straits Settlements, &c., &c. Homermur, Ryd Det hor, 1877

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Black Bills of Lading.

Hongkong, 22nd July, 1882.

the day previous.

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U. S. MAIL LINE.

THE U.S. Mail Steamer "CITY OF TOKIO." will be descatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on SATURDAY, the 12th August, at Noon, taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, 4.00 P.M.-Registry of Letters ceases. Post-

Through Bills of Lading issued for trans- 5.00 P.M.-Mails closed, except for Late Letters. portation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, 5.10 P.M.—Letters may be posted with late fee to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railways, to 5.80 P.M. -when the Post Office closes entirely. Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports 6,00 P.M.—Late Letters may be posted on board in Mexico, Central and South America, by the

Company's and connecting Steamers. Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans. Atlantic lines of Steamers. On prepaid Return Passage Orders a R.E.

DUCTION of 25 % is made. Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. on the 11th August. Parcel Packages will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day: all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required. Consular Invoices to accompany Overland Cargo should be sent to the Company's Offices in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco. For further information as to Passage and

Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central. CHAS. D. HARMAN, Acting Agent. Hongkong, 17th July, 1882.

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By Appointment to H.E. Sir ARTHUR KEN. | which may be prepaid either in Imperial or in NEDY, H.E. Admiral EYDER, and H.I.H. The Hongkong Stamps. By private steamer the GEAND DUKE ALEXIS OF RUSSIA, having re. postage is 2 cents (one penny)." turned from his tour to Peking and the Northern 2 -The same privileges apply to letters ad-Ports, has now the satisfaction to offer a LARGER, CHOICER, and more COMPLETE COL. Officer named above. LECTION of VIEWS, than any other in the 1950 Empire. A Panorama of HOTHOW, and VIEWS of the surrounding country, including Krung-CHOW, have recently been added to the above. IVORY MINIATURES of superior excellence and high finish, painted by native artists under caroful supervision, from \$7. D. K. GRIFFETH holds authority to SIGN.

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THE ENGLISH MAIL The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Shannon left Singapore at 6 p.m. on the 28th July, and is due here on the 2nd August.

STEAMERS EXPECTED. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Agamemnon left Singapore on the 26th July, and is due here on or about the 2nd August.

The steamer Vortigern left Sydney on the 16th

July, and may be looked for here on or about

the 13th August.

POST-OFFICE NOTICES.

The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is always corrected to a much later hour than that given

A MAIL WILL CLOSE For Swatow .- Per China, to-day, the 1st August, at 11.30 A.M. For Shanghai.-Per Ningpo, to-day, the 1st instant, at 11.30 A.M. For Yokohama -- Per Lord of the Isles, to-day, the 1st instant, at 3.30 P.M.

For Swatow, Amoy, and Fonshow.-Per Kwangtung, to-morrow, the 2nd instant, at 11:30 A.M. For Saigon,-Per Benledi, to morrow, the 2nd instant, at 3.30 r.m. For Foschow, Brisbane, Sydney and Mel-All Claims for Damage must be settled on bonrae, &c., &c.-Per Catterthun, to-morrow, the 2nd August, at 8.30 P.M. For Touron and Quong si .- Per Vormante to-morrow, the 2nd instant, at 5.00 P.M. For Saigon .- Per Phonin, on Friday, the 4th instant, at 8.30 P.M.

For Singapore, Port Darwin, Thursday Is. land, Cooktown, Townsville, Kepple Bay, Sydney, Melbourne, Adelaide, &c., &c .- Per Men. muir, on Friday, the 4th August, at 3.30 P.M. For Kobe and Nagasaki.—Per Sumida Maru, August 4th, at 8.80 P.M. For Nagasaki and Yokohama -- Per Sunda, Saturday, the 5th August, at 11:30 A.M.

His Excellency the Administrator has been pleased to approve of the following Hours for closing the English Mails till further notice, on the days mentioned below :-

Thursday, Aug. 3.00 P.M. - Money Order Office closes. ing of all printed matter and patterns ceases.

of 10 cents until the packet with late fee of 10 cents, and newspapers without late fee, until 9.30 P.m when the Supplementary Meil will be closed; Circulars will be returned to the

Post Office. After 9.30 P.M. Letters may be placed in the Loose Hor for treatment at Singapore.

HOURS FOR CLOSING THE CONTRACT MAILS. THE FRENCH MAIL DAY BEFORE DEPARTURE (or SATURDAY if the departure be on Monday).

5 P.M., Money Order Office closes. Post Office closes, except the night box, which is always open out of office hours.

DAT OF DEPARTURE. 7 A.M. Post Office opens. 10 A.M., Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. II A.M., Mail closes, except for Late Letters. 11.10 A.M., Letters may be posted with Late Fee

of 10 cents antil 11.30 A.M., when the Post Office closes entirely. 11.40 A.M. Late Letters may be nosted on board the packet with Late Fee of 10 Cents until

LOCAL AND INDIAN PARCEL POST. 1.—Small Parcelsmay be sent by Post at Book Rates between Hougkong and any of the British Post Offices in China, as well as to Japan. Macso. Pakhoi, the Straits Settlements, and India. They must not exceed the following dimensions, 2 feet laur, 1 foot broad, 1 foot deep, weigh more. than 51hs, nor be smaller than 3 in, by 2 in. by 2 in. Such parcels may be wholly closed if they bear this special endorsement, Parcel, containing. no letter, but any parcel may be opened by direction of the Postmaster General. In the Case of Parcels for India a declaration of contents and value is required, a printed form for which is supplied gratis. The Registration of Parcels for India is compulsory.

Many boxes of letters are received at the Post Office not sealed, that is to sav, the box is fastened with sealing war, but there is no impression of a seal.

The attention of boxholders is called to the necessity of carefully sealing such boxes with some recognisable seal, and of sending a chit-[1400] Indra. Ger. bark. F. Regener.—Melohers & Co. book or receipt with them. The omission of the latter precantion leaves a doubt as to whether the contents of the box ever reached the Post Office; the omission of the former, as to whether part of them might not have been abstracted for the sake of the Postage Stamps.

RATES OF POSTAGE.

Letters, per dos. 3 Cents Post Cards, each Books, Patterns, and Commercial? 2 Cents. Papers, per 2 oz. Newspapers & Prices Current, each Registration Do with return receipt

Commercial papers signify such papers as, though written by hand, do not bear the character of an actual or personal correspondence, such as invoices, deeds, copied music, &c. The charge is the same as for Books, but all packets of and under 4 oz. weight are charged 5 Cents. SOLDINES' AND SAILORS' LETTERS. 1.—Privates in H.M. Army or Navy. Noncommissioned Officers. Bandmasters Army

Schoolmasters (not Superintending or First Class) Writers or Schoolmistresses may send half-ounce letters to the United Kingdom by PHOTOGRAPHER, mail at the rate of four cents (twopence) each, dressed to the Privates and Non-commissioned S.—Private steamers leave Hongkonig for

London about every ten days. 4.-The letters must not exceed half an ounce. No handkerchiefs, jewellery, &c., can be sent, even with the ends open. 5,-If from a Holdier or Sailor his class and description must be stated in fall on the letter. the cover of which must be signed by the Com-

manding Officer, with name of regiment, ship, &c., in full. If to a Soldier or Sailor, his class and desoription, with usme of regiment, ship, &c., must be stated in full. 6.—Soldiers and Sailors have no privileges

with regard to books or papers, nor can these be prepaid with Imperial Stamps. Part not Warrant Officers, vis.:- Conductor, Gun

ner. Boatswaln, or Carpenter.

LETTERS FOR THE UNITED STATES BY SAILING When it is desired to forward letters to the United States by a sailing ship which is not notified as carrying a mail, it is only necessary to post the letters in the ordinary way, marked with the name of the ship, and prepaid 10 cents per half ounce as usual. The Post Office then undertakes the duty of obtaining notice of de-

parture and despatching the correspondence. It

is requested that the letters be posted if possible

at least one day before the data fixed for sailing

EXTRACTS.	INSURANCES.			
By G. Hunt Jackson. Another light is gone from sight of mortals, And vanished into far-off split spheres! No more to look on us from golden pertals; Leaving us in the darkness and in tears. Hack to its native realm it has receded, The work being done for which it shone to view— A mission that was frequently impeded, Vet, after interceptions, brighter grew. For dauntless is the spirit of that planet Born at the alter of eternal truth, When Freedom lights a fire, and patriots fan it, Inspiring all the hardihood of youth, That fettered limbs may rise with vigour new. And thre' the light thus cast in gloomy places Strong men arcse, responsive to love's call, And with united seal wiped out disgraces Written on hearts in wormwood and in gall. Then Italy's Esentence, brighter shining, With light reflected from one burning flame, Was stumped with letters of immertal signing, The Highest Building name. The Highest Building name. The Highest Building in amo.	CALEDONIAN FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY. ESTABLISHED 1805. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are prepared to issue Policies of Insurance against Fire on the usual terms. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. [918]			
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Imperial Fire/Insurance Company.

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Hongkong, 4th May, 1881.

Hongkong, 9th May, 1881.

longer claim. During the past year the L AGENTS to the NEW YORK BOARD of UNDERWRITERS. city authorities of Catania, in Sicily, linve caused to be creeted near the summit of the great volcano, Mount Etna, an intrunontical observatory which stands 2,943 meters above the sea level, or fully 1,000 feet higher than the Hospice of St. Bernard. ECORD of AMERICAN and FOREIGN The structure is nine meters in height, and covers an area of 200 square meters. It consists of an upper and lower story. and is built in a circular form. In the lower story there rises a massive pillar LI D'ASSURANCES MARITIMES. (CEROLE TRANSPORTS REUNIES) upon which is placed the great refracting telescope. The lower story is divided into a dining room, kitchen and store CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED. rooms. In the upper story there are three CAPITAL PAID-UP · hed-rooms, intended for the accommodation of astronomers and tourists visiting the ea. The . Undersigned, having been appointed tablishment. The roof consists of a movable AGENTS of the above Company, are prepared to cupola or dome. From the balconies of the GRANT POLICIES on MARINE RISKS to apper story a prospect of vast extent and all parts of the World. grandeur is presented. The spectator is able to see over half the island Sicily, the island of Malta, the Lipari BATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE GR .Isles and the Province of Calabria on the mainland of Italy. The observatory is THE Undersigned, having been appointed On erected upon a small cone, which will, in case of eruption protect it completely from pared to grant Insurances as follows: the lava stream which always flows down on the opposite side of the volcano.—Builder. in London, or at the principal ports of India,

SPIDERS' THREADS. Australia, and the East. The Rev. H. C. M'Cook has been studying Policies granted on First-class Buildings to the mode of constructing webs prevailing. an extent of \$20,000 at Current Local Rates. among the orb-weaving spiders, and he seems to have confirmed his previous opinions that the silk-line framework or foundation of their webs is laid in the first instance by the help of a current of air carrying the thread. In HE CHINA MERCHANTS a great number of cuses Mr. M'Cook observed the spiders passing from point to point by means of lines emitted from their spinnerets and entangled upon adjacent foliage. These mimic " wire brid- | CAPITAL (FULLY SUBSCRIBED) Tls. 1,000,000. ges" were of various lengths, owing to the direction of the wind and the relative positions of the spider and the fixed CHU YU CHEE, Esq. | CHANG SU Ho. Esq. objects around it. Lines of 2ft. to 4ft. CHING TO CHAI, Esq. YIP YU'TIN, Esq. were frequent; lines of from 7ft. to 10ft. occurred pretty often; one line had been mensured for a length of 26ft., and in several instances they had been observed stretching MARINE RISKS-at / Current Rates to all across country road of from 30ft. to 40ft. | parts of the World. width. He had also observed some of these Contributors of Business whether Shareholders cle ourried by the wind directly from the spider's spinnorets; had watched the entanglement; had seen the spider then draw the threads tant, and finally cross upon. These airlaid bridge-lines often used for the frames of the orb, though undoubtedly the foundations for these were also very frequently THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY to made as described by the Rev. O. Pickard (Cambridge), by the spider fixing its line to CAPITAL TABLE 600,000; EQUAL TO \$833,333.33. one spot, then traversing the distance to RESERVE FUND \$70,858.27. some other spot and then bauling in the slack. The observations of Mr. M'Cook LEE SING, of the Lat Hing Firm. show nothing like a deliberate purpose in Wone YIR Pun, of the Chun Cheong Wing connecting the point of occupancy with any | Hong. special opposite point. The spiders seem to Loo YEE, of the Yee On Firm, not in the matter very much at haphazard, Wong PAK CHEONG, of the San Tye Lee Hong. but with a special instinct of the fact that Taz Kar Tung, of the Yes Cheong Hong. tachments. Many of the bridge-lines were evidently tentative, and were chiefly at the -mercy of the breeze, although observations seemed to indicate a limited control of the throad by manipulation. As a generaliza-Manila, Singapore, Saigon, Penang, and to all the Treaty Ports of China and Japan. tion from many observations Mr. M'Cook concludes that webs built in large open spaces are perhaps always laid out by bridge-lines, while in more contracted spaces the framelines are generally carried around and often a foundation is the result of both methods.

OUEEN FIRE INSURANCE ENGLISH JURYMEN. The Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCELT RISKS on From constant practice, the working of the jury system for the most part is very perfect, FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS at 1 per Cent. Nott prebut the writer ventures to suggest there is nium per Annum. room for improvement in one or two details. Supposing now that all are empanelled, some sent off to the Old Court, others are told to be in attendance the next day, and others re- THE CITY OF LONDON FIRE INSURmain in that, the same (New) Court. Here on the first two days the Mint cases against CAPITAL-82.000,000,-PAID-UP £200,000. utterers of base coin are heard; and up to five or six o'clock our twelve patriots are THE Undersigned having been appointed doomed to sit in two old, straight-backed, church-pow-like boxes, on hard, badly-stuffed pared to Accept Risks against FIRE at Car. cushions, and in a painfully cramped position, for want of proper leg-room. When the verdict has to be considered, under the present arrangement there is no possibility of two jurors at the respective ends of the box conferring together. Much, then, depends upon the intelligence and communicative power of what | CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up) Tls. 420,000.00 may be termed the "centre" men. If there PERMANENT RESERVE ... Tls. 230,000.00 is a doubt, these " centre" men have to lis- SPECIAL RESERVE Tls. 290,553.95 ten in one direction and pass on the objection to the other section. In some instances, TOTAL CAPITAL and if the case is not very serious, it affords scope for the inevitable facations man to be "funny." Thus, in answer, to the query "What do you say?" the wispered reply will H. DE C. FORNES, Esq., Chairman. be in imitation of the Welsh jury, "Not J. H. Pinckvoss, Esq. WM. MEYERINK, Esq. guilty, but mustn't do it again." If there is A. I. M. INVERARITY, G. H. WHEELER, Esq. no reasonable probability of agreeing, the jury are instructed to retire, to consider their verdict further, and if this occurs toward the close of the day the prospect is appalling to the delicate, or to those whose "better halves" expect them home by the usual evening train. To a room without food, fire, or candle (by legal fiction nothing, fortunately, is said about gas), the twelve unfortunates retire, and perhaps nine are for a verdict of Guilty, and three are for Not guilty. In England the jury system is different from that of Scotland. In the latter, fifteen compose the Subject to a charge of 12 % for Interest on jury, and a verdict of nine is taken. Besides, Shareholders' Capital, all the Propers of the Here, however, the twelve must agree either tributed among all Contributors of Business for Guilty or Not guilty. Perhaps the three (whether Shareholders or not) in proportion to obstinutes are retail traders, and on being pressed for their reasons, state that they len't see why the word of a retail man should, not be taken as well as that of a wholesale man (the case under trial heing one of obtaining goods by false pretences). In vain it is pointed out that the wholesale man is on his 30th, and that the prisoner (retailer) only pleads by bis counsel or denial. As the hours pass, an usher arrives to inquire, "Gentlemen, have you agreed upon your verdict?" Now is the time for the prudent, thoughtful man, if he belongs to the majority, to produce a parcel of sandwiches, and express a decided liking for staying up late. The matter is once more discussed, and finally an agreement is arrived at, - Cassell's Magasine,

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fina, and Australia. FIRE DEPARTMENT. clicies issued for long or short periods at CAP	HEAD OFFICE HONGLONG. Han	dkerchiefs, Blue, per dozen	\$0.60 to 0.65 Sheathing Metal, per pictor, per picul.	\$5.85 to 5.90 Flour, Call	iforuia, per sack 51.50 lbs	1.54 Popper, Black, per picul 3.25 Rattan, Straits, per picul 3.25 Rattana Pangur, per picul	\$18.50 to 13.90 \$5.31 to 5.5 \$1.35 to 4.65
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